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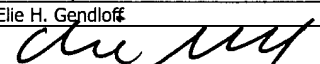
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Re: U.S. Utility Patent Application No. 10/067,146
Title: TYPE 1 INTERFERON-PRODUCING CELLS
AND USES THEREOF
Inventors: Frederick P. Siegal and Michael Shodell
Our File: 50425/191

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to our receipt of a "Notice Regarding Drawings" dated December 11, 2006 along with Form PTO-948, enclosed please find the following documents for filing a reply in connection with the above-identified application in the names of Frederick P. Siegal and Michael Shodell, entitled TYPE 1 INTERFERON-PRODUCING CELLS AND USES THEREOF, comprising the following:

1. a "Reply to Notice Regarding Drawings" (3 pages);
2. a copy of the "Notice of Draftperson's Patent Drawing Review," Form PTO-948, dated December 11, 2006 (1 page);
3. a full set of drawings, with corrections believed to be in compliance with the requirements as stated in the "Notice of Draftperson's Patent Drawing Review," Form PTO-948 (7 sheets); and
4. a return receipt postcard.

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NOTICE OF DRAFTSPERSON'S PATENT DRAWING REVIEW

The drawing(s) filed (insert date) 7/13/06 are:

- A. ☐ approved by the Draftsperson under 37 CFR 1.84 or 1.152.
B. ☒ objected to by the Draftsperson under 37 CFR 1.84 or 1.152 for the reasons indicated below. Corrected drawings are required.

1. DRAWINGS. 37 CFR 1.84(a): Acceptable categories of drawings: Black ink or Color (3 sets required).

___ Color drawings are not acceptable until petition is granted. Fig(s) ___

___ Pencil and non black ink not permitted. Fig(s) ___

2. PHOTOGRAPHS. 37 CFR 1.84(b)

___ One (1) full-tone set is required. Fig(s) ___

___ Photographs may not be mounted. 37 CFR 1.84(e)

___ Photographs must meet paper size requirements of 37 CFR 1.84(f). Fig(s) ___

___ Poor quality (half-tone). Fig(s) ___

3. TYPE OF PAPER. 37 CFR 1.84(e)

___ Paper not flexible, strong, white, and durable.

Fig(s) ___

___ Erasures, alterations, overwritings, interlineations, folds, copy machine marks not accepted.

Fig(s) ___

4. SIZE OF PAPER. 37 CFR 1.84(f): Acceptable sizes:

21.0 cm by 29.7 cm (DIN size A4) or

21.6 cm by 27.9 cm (8 1/2 x 11 inches)

___ All drawing sheets not the same size.

Sheet(s) ___

___ Drawing sheets not an acceptable size. Fig(s) ___

5. MARGINS. 37 CFR 1.84(g): Acceptable margins:

Top 2.5 cm Left 2.5 cm Right 1.5 cm Bottom 1.0 cm

___ Margins not acceptable. Fig(s) ___

Top (T) ___

Left (L) ___

Right (R) ___

Bottom (B) ___

6. VIEWS. 37 CFR 1.84(h)

REMINDER: Specification may require revision to correspond to drawing changes, e.g., if Fig. 1 is changed to Fig. 1A, Fig 1B and Fig. 1C, etc., the specification, at the Brief Description of the Drawings, must likewise be changed.

___ Views not labeled separately or properly.

Fig(s) ___

7. SECTIONAL VIEWS. 37 CFR 1.84(h)(3)

___ Sectional designation should be noted with Arabic or Roman numbers. Fig(s) ___

8. ARRANGEMENT OF VIEWS. 37 CFR 1.84(i)

___ Words do not appear on a horizontal, left-to-right fashion when page is either upright or turned so that the top becomes the right side, except for graphs. Fig(s) ___

9. SCALE. 37 CFR 1.84(k)

___ Scale not large enough to show mechanism without crowding when drawing is reduced in size to two-thirds in reproduction.

Fig(s) ___

10. CHARACTER OF LINES, NUMBERS, & LETTERS. 37 CFR 1.84(l)

___ Lines, numbers & letters not uniformly thick and well defined, clean, durable, and black (poor line quality). Fig(s) 2A

11. SHADING. 37 CFR 1.84(m)

___ Solid black areas pale. Fig(s) ___

___ Solid black shading not permitted. Fig(s) ___

12. NUMBERS, LETTERS, & REFERENCE CHARACTERS. 37 CFR 1.84(p)

___ Numbers and reference characters not plain and legible. Fig(s) ___

___ Figure legends are poor. Fig(s) ___

___ Numbers and reference characters not oriented in the same direction as the view. 37 CFR 1.84(p)(1) Fig(s) ___

___ English alphabet not used. 37 CFR 1.84(p)(2) Fig(s) ___

___ Numbers, letters and reference characters must be at least 32 cm (1/8 inch) in height. 37 CFR 1.84(p)(3). Fig(s) ___

13. LEAD LINES. 37 CFR 1.84(q)

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14. NUMBERING OF SHEETS OF DRAWINGS. 37 CFR 1.84(t)

___ Sheets not numbered consecutively, and in Arabic numbers beginning with number 1. Sheet(s) ___

15. NUMBERING OF VIEWS. 37 CFR 1.84(u)

___ Views not numbered consecutively, and in Arabic numerals, beginning with number 1. Fig(s) ___

16. DESIGN DRAWINGS. 37 CFR 1.152

___ Surface shading shown not appropriate.

Fig(s) ___

___ Solid black surface shading is not permitted except when used to represent the color black as well as color contrast. Fig(s) ___

COMMENTS:

- improper shading dxg (Fig 2A)
- invisible dxg? (Fig 2B)

Reviewer W/S

If you have questions, call (703) 305-8404.

Date 12/11/06

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